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St. Louis Beer, freshly tanned, at Aug. Rieke's saloon, next Monday morning.

MIXERS WANTED.—By Peckham Iron Company. Apply to Thos. Beard, Ironton, Mo. St.

See sample Buckeye Mower at J. N. Bishop's Hardware Store, South C. H. Sq., Ironton.

A large stock of spring clothing just received at Clarksons', Annapolis. Young men, if you want to marry, they can fit you out.

Mr. J. Frank Lang, of Farmington, made a visit to our town last week. "Call again, Frank; thou art welcome," says she.

John Newman, Esq., has a lot of fine Early Cabbage-Plants, which he will dispose of in lots to suit, at reasonable rates.

Capt. Bie informs us that preparations are being made to start a diamond drill near Hagan. Will commence work some time next week.

For coughs, colds, and the like that follow the latter, there's nothing like Tolu, Rock and Rye. Wiesner has just received a supply of this great medicine.

VEGETABLES.—If you want Tomato, Cabbage, or Sweet-Potato Plants, call on Jno. Newman, Ironton, Mo. He will furnish them to you at reasonable rates.

The invitations to the ball Friday night have been issued, and all the arrangements are now concluded. Good music will be furnished, and all other things done to promote the enjoyment of the ball-goers.

From and after this date the undersigned will no longer practice law together in any new legal business in the County of Iron. IRONTON, Mo., May 4, 1880.

B. ZWART.
PHILIP PIPKIN.

Cornus Russell, Esq., yesterday showed us a specimen of Linum Plant which measured 36 inches across the leaf, and 40 inches of stem with proportionate thickness. It grew absolutely without cultivation, and in all respects is as fine a plant as we have ever seen.

The County Democratic Executive Committee did not meet last Saturday. The chairman was prevented from attending by reason of sickness, and several other members were also unavoidably absent. A new call has been made, and all the members have been notified thereof by postal card.

J. A. Aubuchon, Esq., is in town, from the wilds of Kansas, visiting friends and attending to business. He is a little thinner, and looks a little older than before. Yet Kansas cyclones appear to have gone around him, and his grasshoppers hoped clean over him; for he is finally the same Amadeo as of yore.

We're glad to notice that our old friend J. A. Hughes is doing a thriving business. That he deserves to do so, no one can question. His stock of groceries are fresh and selected from the best. He deals in no other, and those who patronize him can rely upon the purity and excellence of whatever they purchase.

C. D. Yancey, Esq., of Piedmont, is also here attending court, with his hands full of business. But that doesn't prevent his telling a pretty big fish story which we may utilize at a future date. Upon this condition, however, that he send us a sample of his next catch; otherwise this promise to be void and of no effect.

Our old and esteemed friend, N. Aubuchon, Esq., has removed to Ironton, and domiciled his family on the Harvey property, in the east end of town. We are glad to see him again a resident of the town he assisted to lay out in 1857-8, and hope he may long live and prosper in the midst of his old friends and acquaintances.

In addition to the members of the legal fraternity whose names were given in our last week's issue, as being in attendance upon the court, we notice the following late arrivals: Gov. Fletcher, T. M. McMullin, and Sam Byrnes, of Jefferson; W. N. Hall, of Madison; and Frank Harris, of Washington. Bro. McMullin, of the Jefferson Democrat, also, is here as a witness.

Judge Bakewell, of the St. Louis Court of Appeals, is now a summer resident of the Valley. A few weeks since he purchased the Wonders property, southwest of town, fitted it up, and last week brought down his household goods and family. May he and his enjoy the salubrious climate and pure air of our mountains, and never have cause to regret taking up summer quarters with us.

J. G. & R. A. Clarkson, at Annapolis, have on hand their second supply of plows for this season. Farmers in the south end of Iron county will find in their stock all numbers of the Avery cast. Also, the justly celebrated Oliver Chilled Plow. Extra points, landlides, mould boards, plow-bolts, heel-bolts, grass-rod, clevises, &c., &c., constantly on hand. They also have Double-Shovel Plows, both wood and iron beam. All of which will be sold as low as any house in Southeast Missouri can furnish them.

One of the neatest and pleasantest places we ever knew is that of Mrs. Lopez's millinery establishment. It is fitted up elegantly and in good taste, and filled with all those articles that captivate the eyes of the ladies. Of course we do not know enough about those things to particularize, and we shall not attempt it. The only thing we can understand or appreciate is the general effect produced by the congregation and arrangement of the articles, and that it is excellent is evident from the fact that one of the sterner and blinder sex has perceived it.

Circuit court is still in session. Last Saturday Judge Emerson was elected special judge to try the "Islander case from Jefferson county"—the defense having made affidavit that a fair trial of the case demanded it. At this writing this case is still on the string, and it may not be decided before Friday. Monday was the day set for the case of State vs. Ed. Thomas, but it may not come up this week. The defendant was on hand promptly at the time. The grand jury has not yet concluded its labors. Everything points to a three weeks' session, if not a longer.

DIED.—At Des Arc, on Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, May 31, 1880, HUGH F. SWENNEY, aged about 60 years.

Mr. Swenney was a resident of Iron county for sixteen years, and at one time was in comfortable circumstances; but his later years were darkened by financial misfortune. In addition to this he was afflicted with the heavier burden of disease, and for eight years he was but a wreck of his former self. He was of kindly, genial disposition, and died without an enemy in the world. His remains were brought up from Des Arc and buried by the Masonic fraternity of this place on Monday. May he rest in peace, is the prayer of all who knew him.

Negro Exodus.

PILOT KNOB, Mo., May 3, '80.

Ed. Register.
Yesterday noon a party of thirty negroes—great and small—with an outfit of three wagons, passed through this place on their way to Greene county, Missouri. They were from Middle Tennessee, and were moving West to better their condition pecuniarily. Your correspondent interviewed the captain of the caravan, from whom he learned that he wished it distinctly understood that their moving away had nothing at all to do with politics—as they were just as free to vote and act there as they could wish in any place. Their reason for moving was simply because they could not make a living by renting, and land was too high for them to buy. They also represent that a great many will leave the same State the coming season—and all for the same reason, the Globe-Democrat to the contrary notwithstanding. They also stated that, like some white people, there were some black folks whose votes could be purchased with a drink of whisky.

The entire party appeared to be well fixed, and they evidently knew what they were about.

Yours,
WESTWARD.

Last Saturday night some parties who live south of Ironton in the Flatwoods district, or near there, went out of town in hilarious spirits. They amused themselves by throwing rocks at various objects as they passed along, and did considerable damage. They smashed in a section of Mrs. W. A. Delono's fence, and the next morning the grounds were filled with cattle who had gained ingress through the opening thus made. This was provoking enough and bad enough, but the same persons who did this wanton damage also threw stones at the door of a colored woman's house, and amused themselves by using bad and indecent language toward her.

A short time ago, a similar party, while passing homeward from town, at the hour of midnight, took a harrow out of Dr. Farrar's field and placed it in the middle of the road, with the pointed ends of the teeth upward. The night was dark, and it was "rare good luck" that no sober passer-by was injured in self or property.

Now, all this may be very fine fun, but we are thick-headed we can't "tumble to it." We wish the perpetrators' names could be obtained; we would make it a little funnier for them by printing the same in very good-sized type. A man who can extract pleasure from wanton injury to another, is worse than a brute. And it is to be regretted that the law cannot always give him his just deserts.

At the meeting of the young men of the Valley for the purpose of organizing a literary and debating society, on Saturday evening, May 1st, we have the pleasure of stating, there were nineteen gentlemen present.

Business was immediately commenced by putting Mr. E. C. Russell in the chair and making Mr. Geo. Lopez secretary.

Neatly worded and appropriate speeches were made by Messrs. Elgar, Greason, Russell, Wilkinson, and others, upon the objects and benefits that would necessarily follow a society of this kind.

A committee of five was appointed by the President to draw up the constitution and by-laws.

Mr. Wilkinson having kindly offered the use of his photograph gallery, it was therefore ordered that the next meeting be held at Mr. Wilkinson's gallery, on Saturday evening, May 8th, at 8 o'clock.

It was suggested that an invitation be extended to ladies as well as to gentlemen, which suggestion was unanimously adopted.

The meeting then adjourned.

We take the following from a short speech made by a member of the society:

"We want all of you to come, gentlemen. Do not say you will not come because you can't make a speech, or read the slim list things in public! If you want to learn, come and try. You may fail once or twice, but in a short time you will astonish your hearers as well as yourself. If there are any brains at all in your brain-pan."

It is to be hoped that there will be a larger attendance at the next meeting, as the object of the society is in every way commendable.

Pilot Knob Pickings.

Ed. Register.
"Subscriber" seems to have subsided, so the Knob is left minus a representative on your staff of correspondents. This should not be thus; for surely the "Subsiders of Arkady," Des Arc, and so on, are neither older nor uglier than we; and they have not got so many measles as we have now; at least if they have they don't brag about it. Furthermore, we can beat Dodson and Billings at their own game, viz: atrociously bad spelling. Witness "Pilot" in last week's REGISTER. These three facts should be sufficient introduction, we think.

Spring is opening out beautifully. The air is full of fragrance from the many blossoming trees in the woods; and grass and garden stuff are coming on apace. Now the careful housewife plants her garden seeds in drills two feet apart, mulching the intervening spaces with retired gum boots and dead cats, and patiently awaits the result of her labor.

Merchants and others are busy and hopeful: the depot being often jammed with freight of all sorts.

I am here reminded that the chimneys and roofing of the new depot—that is to be—are

on the ground; and rumor says that so soon as they are in place the foundation will be begun. I presume the fact is, we will soon have a new depot on a new site, whereat many will be happy.

A cavalcade of exodusters, consisting of four two-horse wagons and fourteen people, passed through town on the 31st inst. They were from "Ole Virginia" and on their way to Southwestern Missouri and Southeastern Kansas. Of course the first conclusion of many will be that the said exodusters were hanged and quartered and otherwise maltreated by the unreconstructed Southerners, and then driven from home. The simple fact, from their own lips, is that they but exercised the privilege of all free American citizens—changed their locality in the hope of bettering their fortunes, and that is all there is of it.

That sheet-iron furnace you told about a week or two since, (which, in reality, is of strong boiler-iron—ten pounds to the square foot), again occupies the position it did before the storm. It is rapidly approaching completion, and will soon aid in filling the coffers of the Iron Company, in spite of the unwise legislation of the county against the company. The action of the county reminds me of the fellow who abandoned a steady diet of potato balls on the discovery of the real potato, with this difference: that the county proposes at one fell swoop to eat potatoes, tops, balls and all at a pinch—leaving nothing for seed or for a future meal. It is to be hoped that its digest on will not be seriously impaired by the extraordinary meal.

Yours, truly,
O. K.

PILOT KNOB, May 31, 1880.

The Band Picnic.

It Will be Given at Goulding's Park.

Friday, May 7, 1880.

The A. V. B. has perfected its arrangements for a Picnic at Goulding's Park, on Friday of this week. All the usual accommodations of such affairs will be placed before our people, together with some which are not so usual—games of various kinds, target-shooting, quail pitching, etc. Refreshments, such as ice-cream, lemonade, cake, &c., will be served at call. Mr. Hotson will be on hand with his Flying Dutchman, and will take you "all around the world for a nickel." The boys propose to make everything nice and pleasant for everybody who may visit them on that day, and to accomplish that end will spare no endeavor. Music will be given by the band at short intervals all day. No admission fee will be charged—bear that in mind—and you are requested to come and enjoy yourself, "without money and without price"—except for extras, and you needn't order them unless you want to. In the evening a ball will be given at the American Hotel, the invitations for which will be issued this week. Tickets, per couple, \$1.00.

DATE.		THERMOMETER.		WIND.		WEATHER.		RAINFALL.	
1880.		5 A.M.	9 P.M.	5 A.M.	9 P.M.	5 A.M.	9 P.M.	5 A.M.	9 P.M.
April 29	54	64	62	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
April 30	58	68	67	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 1	62	72	71	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 2	66	76	75	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 3	70	80	79	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 4	74	84	83	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 5	78	88	87	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 6	82	92	91	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 7	86	96	95	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 8	90	100	99	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 9	94	104	103	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 10	98	108	107	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 11	102	112	111	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 12	106	116	115	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 13	110	120	119	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 14	114	124	123	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 15	118	128	127	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 16	122	132	131	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 17	126	136	135	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 18	130	140	139	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 19	134	144	143	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 20	138	148	147	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 21	142	152	151	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 22	146	156	155	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 23	150	160	159	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 24	154	164	163	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 25	158	168	167	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 26	162	172	171	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 27	166	176	175	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 28	170	180	179	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 29	174	184	183	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 30	178	188	187	NE	NE	N	N	0	0
May 31	182	192	191	NE	NE	N	N	0	0

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STRAY NOTICE.

Taken up by Wm. Boswell and posted before J. R. Boswell, Justice of the Peace in and for Liberty Township, Iron County, Missouri, on the 24th day of April, 1880, the following described property, to wit: Light Sorrel Mare; about 7 years old; about 14 1/2 hands high; white star in the forehead; has old shoes on the front feet. No other marks or brands perceptible. Appraised at \$25.00 by J. N. Thompson and W. J. Orr. A true copy from my stray book. J. R. BOSWELL, Justice of the Peace for Liberty Township.

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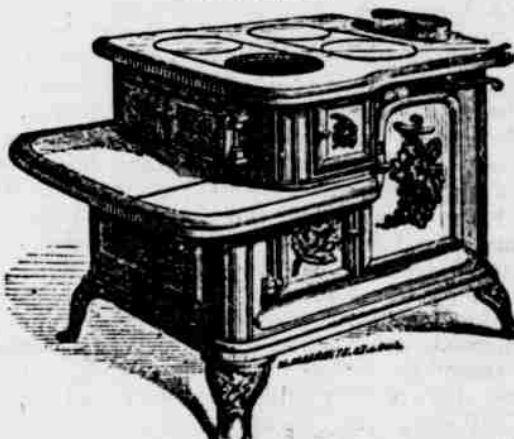
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